BOTTOM LINE UP FRONT:

 Explosions and black smoke is reported to be coming from the Arkema Chemical Plant in Crosby, TX

SITUATION:

• The US Coast Guard National Response Center is reporting a release of unknown chemicals due to a chemical manufacturing facility explosion. No reported injuries at this time. Currently the only believed environmental impact is atmosphere with the chemicals being burned off in the explosion.

ACTIONS/FOLLOW UP:

• R6 RRCC will continue to monitor and report further developments

SOURCE OF INFORMATION:

• USCG and NRCC

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